

## **NEW Courses Highlight the 2011 Junior Tour Schedule**

In an ongoing effort to provide the best playing opportunities for junior golfers in the Philadelphia Section, the Philadelphia Junior Tour has secured a number of new facilities for the 2011 season. Rotating the facilities that the Tour uses from year to year allows the members of the Junior Tour to experience a wide variety of course types.

In 2011, the Junior Tour will host events at courses such as Wilmington CC (Wilmington, DE), Fieldstone GC (Greenville, DE), the Philadelphia Cricket Club (Flourtown, PA), Green Valley CC (Lafayette Hill, PA) and the new Trump National GC (Pine Hill, NJ). In addition to these new facilities, the Junior Tour will also be returning to many of their favorite courses from past seasons.

Another new wrinkle to the 2011 Philadelphia Junior Tour season will be the launching of an experimental Collegiate Series. The Collegiate Series will be open to golfers between the ages of 19-24 who are attending some type of post secondary school. In its inaugural year the Collegiate Series will conduct five events, four regular season tournaments and a year end championship. It is the hopes of the Junior Tour that these events will allow the young men and women competing to easily transition into the next level of tournament play.

For more information on the Philadelphia Junior Tour, please visit [phillyjuniortour.com](http://phillyjuniortour.com).

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The Philadelphia Section has recently added a new member to the Section staff. Ms. Elise Kain, a 2010 graduate of Ithaca College in Ithaca, NY, joined the Philadelphia Section as a full-time employee this past January and will serve as the Section's Operations Coordinator. In this role, Elise will assist both the Professional and Junior Tours on a variety of levels both in the office and on-site. Previously, Elise served the Philadelphia Section as a Junior Tour intern in the summer of 2010.

- Joe Monforto